

State of Tennessee



Item 4

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Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0305

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Tre Hargett
Secretary of State

April 19, 2012

The Honorable Ernest Burgess
County Mayor
County Courthouse Room 101
Murfreesboro, TN 37130

Dear Mayor Burgess,

Enclosed is a certified copy of Private Chapter 47 relating to Rutherford County. This legislation was recently passed by the Tennessee General Assembly.

Pursuant to T.C.A. §§8-3-201 and 8-3-202, the local legislative body must send notice to the secretary of state of its action by December 1 of the year of passage by the General Assembly. Please see Section 3 of Private Chapter 47 for instructions on ratification and notice to the secretary. Notification forms are enclosed for your convenience.

Please feel free to contact me at the number above if you have any questions. You may also contact Mr. Cody Ryan York, Director of Publications, at 615-741-2650. We are here to assist you in any way.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Tre Hargett".

Tre Hargett
Secretary of State

cc: Senators Bill Ketron and Jim Tracy
Representative Mike Sparks
Private Chapter 47 file - Publications
Enclosures



NOTICE TO
LOCAL LEGISLATIVE BODY OF
LEGISLATIVE ACTION ON
PRIVATE ACT

Private Chapter No. 47, which is House
(House or Senate)
Bill No. 3840, of the 107th General Assembly, was passed on
March 29, 2012

SECRETARY OF STATE

by: *Lee Hargett*
Division of Publications
312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue
Eighth Floor
Snodgrass Tennessee Tower
Nashville, TN 37243

Pursuant to T.C.A. 8-3-201 and 8-3-202, the attached is being provided by the Secretary of State. A two-thirds majority of the local legislative body is required for approval. The presiding officer shall complete the attached form, certify within 30 days of action, and return to the Secretary of State, Publications Division at the given address. In the absence of a deadline in the act, failure to approve by December 1 of the year of passage by the General Assembly will render the act null and void. **TO GUARANTEE PROPER AND TIMELY DELIVERY OF YOUR DOCUMENTS TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE, PUBLICATIONS DIVISION, A COURIER DELIVERY SERVICE IS RECOMMENDED. (Examples: Overnight Postal, Express Postal, Federal Express, etc.)**

cc: Senators Bill Ketron and Jim Tracy
Representative Mike Sparks



NOTICE TO
SECRETARY OF STATE
OF
RATIFICATION OF PRIVATE ACT

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disapproved _____

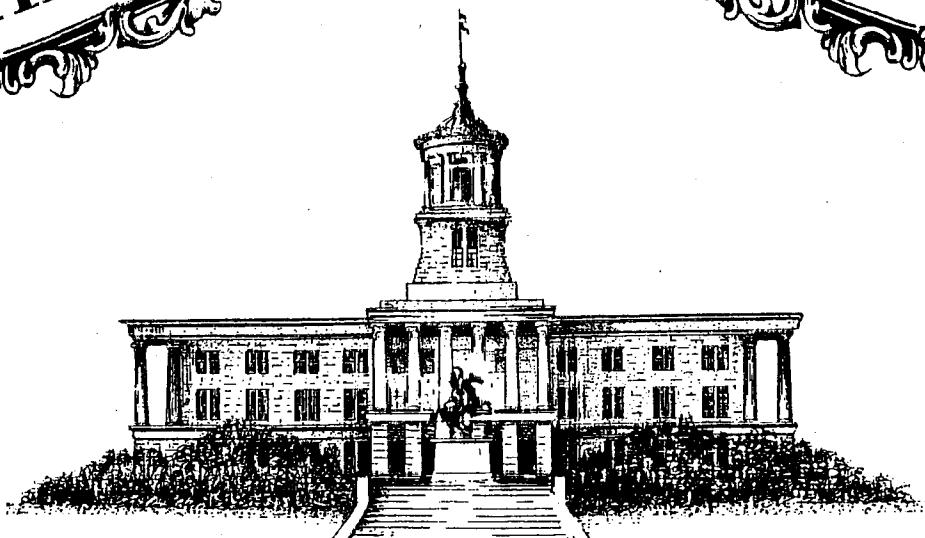
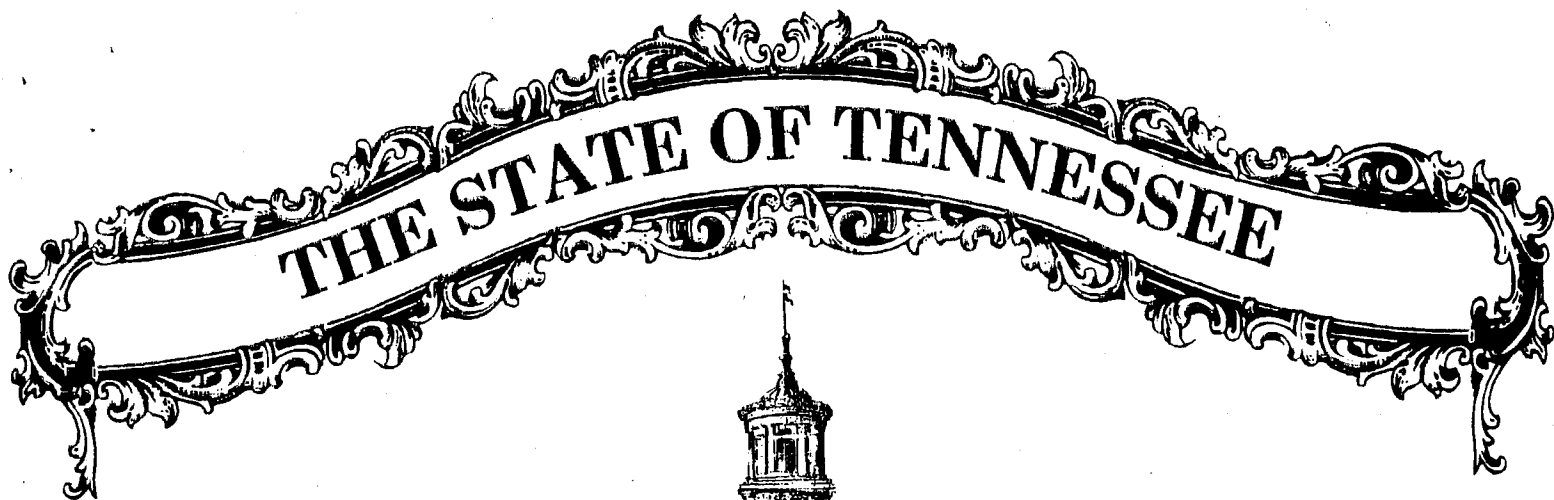
no action taken _____

Presiding Officer of the Local
Legislative Body

Embossed Seal:
(if applicable)

County or City

Date



To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

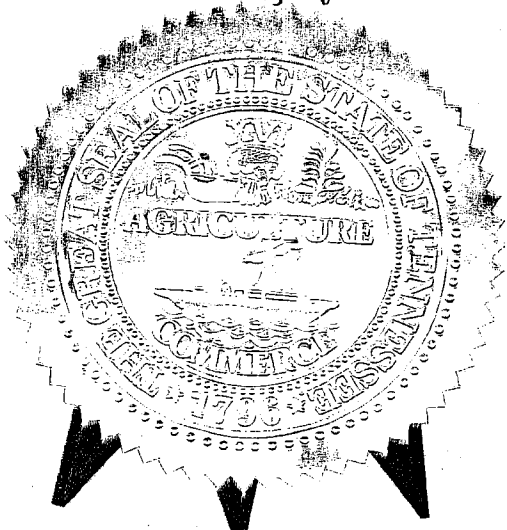
I, The Hargett, Secretary of State of the State of Tennessee,
do hereby certify that the annexed is a true copy of

Private Chapter 47

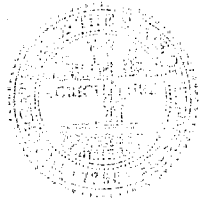
House Bill 3840

Senate Bill 3765

the original of which is now on file and a matter of record in this office.
In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my official signature and by
order of the Governor affixed the Great Seal of Tennessee at the Department in
the City of Nashville, this 18th day of April, A.D. 2012.



The Hargett, Secretary of State



State of Tennessee

PRIVATE CHAPTER NO. 47

HOUSE BILL NO. 3840

By Representative Sparks

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 3765

By Senators Ketron, Tracy

AN ACT to amend Chapter 55 of the Private Acts of 1951; as amended by Chapter 143 of the Private Acts of 1969, Chapter 391 of the Private Acts of 1972; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the Rutherford County highway commission.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Section 2 of Chapter 55 of the Private Acts of 1951, as amended by Chapter 143 of the Private Acts of 1969, Chapter 391 of the Private Acts of 1972, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by deleting the section in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 2. Rutherford County is divided into seven (7) road districts, as follows:

Road District I. Road District I shall be composed of County Commission districts 5, 11, and 12.

Road District II. Road District II shall be composed of County Commission districts 1, 2, and 3.

Road District III. Road District III shall be composed of County Commission districts 4, 6, and 7.

Road District IV. Road District IV shall be composed of County Commission districts 8, 9, and 10.

Road District V. Road District V shall be composed of County Commission districts 17, 18, and 21.

Road District VI. Road District VI shall be composed of County Commission districts 13, 15, and 16.

Road District VII. Road District VII shall be composed of County Commission districts 14, 19, and 20.

The county commission districts referred to in this section shall be those established by the Rutherford County commission in a redistricting plan adopted by the commission in 2012. The county commission is authorized to make subsequent redistrictings of the road districts from time to time as necessary for the election of road board members from districts that are substantially equal in population. Such districts shall be so defined that they contain one (1) or more county commission districts and that their boundaries shall conform to those of county commission districts.

At the August 2012 general election for county officers, one (1) road board member shall be elected by the qualified voters of Road District I, one (1) member by the qualified voters of Road District III, one (1) member by the qualified voters of Road District VI, and one (1) member by the qualified voters of Road District VII. All members elected in 2012 shall serve for terms of four (4) years and until their successors are elected and qualified; except that the road board commissioner for Road Board District VII, whose present term expires in 2012, shall be elected to a six-year term in 2012 to be succeeded by four-year terms thereafter.

At the August 2014 general election for county officers, one (1) road board member shall be elected by the qualified voters of Road District II, one (1) member by the qualified voters of Road District IV, and one (1) member by the qualified voters of Road District V. All members elected in 2014 shall serve for terms of four (4) years and until their successors are elected and qualified; except that the road board commissioner for Road Board District II, whose present term expires in 2014, shall be elected to a six-year term in 2014 to be succeeded by four-year terms thereafter.

The Rutherford County highway commission shall be composed of the road board commissioners elected as provided above and shall elect a chairperson from among its members. The county judge shall attend meetings of the highway commission and take part in its deliberations, but shall not have a vote.

SECTION 2. The redistricting set forth herein shall in no way abridge the terms of office of existing road board members, and such members shall continue in office until the expiration of their present terms.

SECTION 3. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the legislative body of Rutherford County. Its approval or nonapproval shall be proclaimed by the presiding officer of the legislative body and certified to the secretary of state.

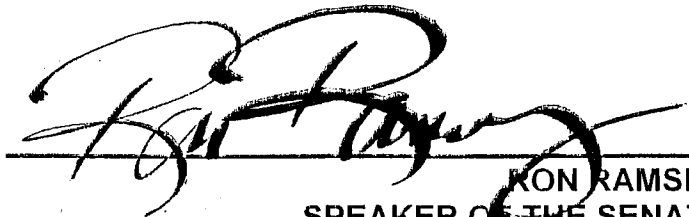
SECTION 4. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 3.

HOUSE BILL NO. 3840

PASSED: MARCH 29, 2012

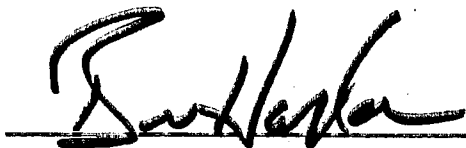


BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 16th day of April 2012



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR